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The Faculty of Textiles has two departments -- technology and chemistry, as well as two separate specializations -- study of textiles and textile mechanics.

The Faculty of Chemistry of Food Processing has the following specializations: confectionery production, pharmacy ^[sic] technology of alcohol and yeast, technology of meat, technology of fruits and vegetables, technology of herbs and aromatics, starch production, and syrup production.

After finishing 4 years of study and passing the examination for the diploma, the graduate receives the title of engineer. The more outstanding students may then continue their studies for a master's degree, which takes 2 years. Graduates with a master's degree are expected to become research workers at the higher schools, scientific institutes, and other scientific research centers.

The studies at the Polytechnic are difficult, since even the intelligent students who apply themselves systematically have difficulty meeting the standards. The People's Republic of Poland grants scholarships to about 80 percent of the students. A large number of out-of-town students are given lodging at the academy homes.

POLISH AGRICULTURAL TECHNICAL SCHOOLS -- Warsaw, Gromada-Rolnik Polski, 4 Jun 53

The agricultural technical schools accept students who have completed the seventh class of the elementary school. These technical schools teach agrotechnology, zootechnology, agricultural mechanics, agricultural accounting, veterinary science, water improvement, gardening, and village construction. Nine thousand students are attending agricultural technical schools in Poland in 1953.

In addition to the agricultural technical schools, there is also the 11-month basic agricultural school. A graduate receives the degree of technician (technik). These students formerly were agricultural workers, water improvement workers, and members of producers cooperatives. In 1953, over 2,000 students attended these schools.

In addition, there are a number of centers training cadres for the POM (Panstwowy Ośrodek Maszynowy, state machine centers) and cadres for producers cooperatives. These are directed by the Central School Office of POM and of Producers Cooperatives (Centralna Szkoła POM i Spółdzielczosci Produkcyjnej).

OPENING OF NEW HIGHER AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL IN KRAKOW -- Warsaw, Trybuna Ludu, 17 Jun 53

A new Higher School of Agriculture (Wyzsza Szkoła Rolnicza) is to open in Krakow during the 1953-54 school year. This school will contain the departments of agriculture and forestry, taken from the Jagiellonian University (Uniwersytet Jagiellonski), and a zootechnical department to train specialists in cattle breeding.

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH INSTITUTES IN POLAND -- Warsaw, Trybuna Ludu, 21 May 53

At the end of 1952, there were 87 scientific research institutes in Poland, as compared to 29 in 1949.

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